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Title: Riot Equipment for the MAGTF

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5. (U) OBSERVATION:

None.

6. (U) DISCUSSION:

At the start of this deployment, no riot equipment was available to the MAGTF. Riot equipment to support the MAGTF was forced-fed to the MAGTF from an unknown source, once the MAGTF was positioned in the forward support base.

7. (U) LESSON LEARNED:

Riot equipment must be readily available to deploying SPMAGTFs involved in civil disturbance operations.

8. (U) RECOMMENDED ACTION:

That the USMC maintain riot equipment in the MCB/Station TAP, and that riot equipment be included in deploying MEUs EDL.

9. (U) COMMENTS:

None.